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sume the sale of tickets through to

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ure.

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ing of baggage, etc., can be obtained

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## BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

What the State Commissioner Is Doing to Better Working Conditions.

The bureau of labor statistics and

inspector of factories and workshops

was established by an act of the legis-

lature of 1903. A board, consisting of

the governor, secretary of state and

state treasurer, delegated by the legis-

lature to choose a commissioner, on

June 1, 1903, selected O. P. Hoff, the

present incumbent.

The bureau is for the purpose of

gathering and compiling labor and in-

dustrial statistics and to better the

condition of the laboring people in

mills, factories, etc., looking to the

safeguarding of dangerous machinery,

thereby lessening the accidents to em-

ployees and damage suits to employers.

During the last year Mr. Hoff has

visited 600 plants of the different

kinds, making suggestions for improve-

ments that in most cases have been

acted upon. Courteous treatment and

a disposition to follow the advice given

by the Commissioner has been man-

ifested by the employers everywhere.

The coming year will be devoted most-

ly to gathering and compiling statistics

for the next biennial report of the

bureau to the legislature.

Before entering on his duties as com-

missioner of labor Mr. Hoff was for

many years employed by the Southern

Pacific Railway Company as freight

clerk and agent. Prior to that he

worked at various occupations, princi-

pally on farms, in the timber and in

mills and mines.

**Whittier's Boyhood Home.**

In the description of Whittier's

house in the sumptuous "Country

Homes of Famous Americans," Oliver

Bronson Capen relates a most interest-

ing incident of how Mr. Ordway, a Hav-

erhill shoe manufacturer, photographed

the old Whittier kitchen before the

birthplace had been purchased as a

memorial to the poet. Mr. Capen says:

"At that time the tenants on the un-

kempt farm used the mother's little

bedroom as a potato bin, and the front

room, in which the poet was born, as a

stateroom. Across the center of the

kitchen a partition has been built, di-

viding it into two rooms. To photo-

graph the kitchen as it was in Whit-

tier's boyhood, it was necessary to take

back to it the old furniture and to re-

move the unsightly partition. Mr. Ord-

way carted the furniture to the farm-

house all the way from Amesbury,

eight miles distant. The armchair that

Whittier and his father and grand-

father had used was found in the wood-

shed. The simple, round, bandy-legged

kitchen table was taken from the attic.

The poet told him minutely where ev-

erything belonged."

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## TALKING DOLLS.

The Latest Production of the Clever

German Toy-makers.

One of the most striking of the new

Christmas toys takes the shape of a

real talking doll. In the past dolly's

vocabulary has been limited to such

phrases as "Da-da" or "Ma-ma," sounds

produced by a reed and a pair of

bellows. All that is to be changed, and

dolly will be able to say quite a num-

ber of nice things and carry on little

conversations of a hundred words or

more and, if necessary, sing the very

latest song.

The idea comes from Germany and

is really an adaptation of the principle

upon which the gramophone is based.

Briefly it is this: Secreted somewhere

in the doll's interior will be a tiny disk

machine, which will carry a record

about two inches in diameter. When

the doll has been made presentable and

feels equal to taking part in the con-

versation her little nurse will simply

have to place a disk in a crevice some-

where in dolly's back, an operation as

simple as putting a penny in a slot,

and the doll will do the rest. Two

dolls, with suitable records, may easily

be made to carry on quite intelligent

conversations.—London Daily News.

**Some Christmas Thoughts.**

Lift up your eyes to the great mean-

ing of the day and dare to think of

your humanity as something so divinely

precious that it is worthy of being

made an offering to God. Count it as

a privilege to make that offering as

complete as possible, keeping nothing

back, and then go out to the pleasures

and duties of your life, having been

truly born anew into his divinity as

he was born into our humanity on

Christmas day.—Phillips Brooks.

May the spirit of the sweet Christ-

mas Child possess me; may the Star of

Bethlehem shine above my dwelling

place.—Thomas a Kempis.